DE Leadership Conference Held at ACHS

On Thursday, February 20, the annual Distributive Education Leadership Conference was held at Appomattox County High School.

This was the first District Contest ever to be be held at the new Appomattox County High School.

The schools from District 16, competing in the contest were Appomattox County High, Brookville High, E. C. Glass, Jefferson Forest, Liberty, and Rustburg, Buckingham, Dunbar and Amherst.

The winners from Appomattox placing first are: Lynn Allen Smith, Job Interviewer; Bud Moses, parliamentary procedure II; Coy Williamson, Public Speaking II; John Jones, Group Sales.

Second place winners in the contest are Allen Litchford, Decison Making; Bucky Gunter, Public Speaking I; Allen Austin, Sales Demonstration.

Appomattox students placing third are: Edna Goin, Sales Judging; William Henry, Poster D.E.I.

Other participants from the Appomattox D.E. Chapter are Debra Fleshman, Display; Allen Harris, Job Interview II, Marco Turner, Job Interview I.

The winners would like to thank their coordinator, Mr. Don Horne for his support and interest in this contest.

The Oakville Senior 4-H Club hosted a Valentine Program on "Activities and Events in 4-H and What 4-H Means to Me" for members of the Home which is located on Belmont Avenue. The program was designed to give members of the home some insight into the activities that are being conducted in 4-H here in Appomattox County, the state and the nation. Highlights of the program included a film of the 1972 "National 4-H Congress" and Oakville 4-H'ers testimonies on what 4-H has meant to them. The program was followed by an "Ice Breaker" game and a social with refreshments provided by the club. Much appreciation and thanks go to Mrs. Virginia Davidson and Miss Becky Harris, adult leaders of the Oakville Club, for the time and efforts they put in this program and the many others which the club has conducted. Pictured above are members of the club and the Opportunity Home.

A list of churches will be published at a later date.

The regular quarterly church meeting will be held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church on Saturday, March 8 at 7 p.m. All officers and members are requested to be present.

The officers meeting of the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church will be held this Saturday evening at 7 p.m. at the church.

An appreciative crowd attended the regular evening service at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last evening at 7 p.m. junior choir renders music.

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Gabilee Usher Board Holds Anniversary

The Galilee Church Usher Board will hold its anniversary program this Sunday evening at 3 p.m. The Rev. C. L. Elliott and his Alabama Church choir will be the special guest. Mrs. Bessie Watson, president will serve as mistress of ceremony. Local Usher Boards are invited to attend.

A very large crowd attended the regular preaching service at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a very challenging sermon. The senior choir rendered beautiful music. Several visitors attended the service.

An overflow crowd attended the annual Men's Day program sponsored by the Zion Baptist Church Community Club last Sunday evening at 2 p.m. The Rev. James Franklin served as master of ceremony. The following program was presented: Opening selection, Gravel Hill Sr. Choir; Prayer, Rev. Franklin; Selection, Guest choir; Scripture, Master of ceremony, Prayer, Rev. H. O. Flood; Selection the Holiness Gospel Singers; History of the club, Brother Frank Johnson; Solo, Miss Sybill Franklin; Greetings and remarks, Deacon James Franklin, president; Selection, The Gospel Notes; Introduction of guest speaker, Rev. James Franklin; Solo, Mrs. Evelyn Berry; Sermon, Rev. R. Q. Lawing; Offering, Deacons from Sharon and Baptist Union Churches and the newly selected deacons of the Zion Baptist Church. Rev. Franklin gave thanks to all of the clubs, visitors and friends who were present. The final remarks were given by Rev. Lawing and the benediction was given by the master of ceremony.

Plans have been completed for the fourth annual Pre-Holy week service to be held in Appomattox this year: The following local ministers with their churches will take an active part: Reverends C. L. Elliott; K. W. Davis, J. P. Rose, Roy Wood, H. W. Pryor, J. W. Paige and R. Q. Lawing.

The Mighty 4 4-H Club

Our club meeting was on Thursday, Feb. 13. The meeting was called to order. We had the pledges to the American flag and the 4-H flag. The secretary read the minutes from the last meeting. Then the treasurer gave her report that we had $22.36 in our checking account. When old business came up Mr. Sweet gave a comment on public speaking from the last week and then gave out our certificate for public speaking. There was no further old or new business so we went on to our program. This month in our project book we are studying Mexico. Debbie Baldwin prepared a dish of tocos, hot chocolate and portios. For displaying customs of Mexico we had a guest speaker, Mr. James Hall to show us some of the customs of Mexico. Mr. Hall showed us some slides of Mexico from the time when he visited there last summer. He passed around some money from Mexico, also.

Steve Cobb, Reporter

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GEORGE BLANTON, Appomattox County High School of Economics and History and coach of football, track lifting, spoke at the meeting of the United of the Confederacy when they met on Thursday, the Farmers National Bank, Triangle Plaza Branch. spoke on Major Patrick R. Caliborn, a foreign born Civil War. This hero was a brilliant leader during a druggist, lawyer, and staunch Democrat. He ote of appreciation from the Confederate Congress ship in battle. He was the first general to circulate men under his command and wanted to train ght for the Confederacy and help the south win the ought the idea necessary and expedient, however, position of the other leaders, this idea was never ice.

and guest at the meeting of the UDC enjoyed this ing program.

Announce Birth

Mr and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence Shirey of Spout Spring announce the birth of a daughter, Jodi Suzanne, on February 20 at the Virginia Baptist Hospital. They are the parents of a son, Jeffery Lawrence.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lee Watkins, Jr. of Rustburg and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shirey of Spout Spring.

On Dean's List

The College of Home Economics at Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State Uniersity has announced its Dean's List for the Fall Quarter. Included on the Dean's List is Margie Bea Morris of Appomattox, a senior in Management, Housing and Family Development.

To be honored, a student must achieve a 3.4 out of a possible 4.0 average.

Margie received a 4.0 average. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Harold Morris of Appomattox.

Concord Scouts Make Gifts

Girl Scouts of Troop 357 in Concord have recently made vases and flower arrangements for a nursing home in Spout Spring. They were very decorative and enjoyed by the patients at the home.

Leaders of the 357 Troop are Mrs. Bea Cutshall with Co-Leaders Marge Dutka, Linda Foster and Macy Ann Burleigh.

Marriage Is Announced

The marriage of Emily Rebecca Phelps of Appomattox to Ronald Whitfield Mitchell of Red House took place at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon in Memorial United Methodist Church in Appomattox.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enid M. Phelps of Appomattox and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Mitchell of Red House.

The Rev. Henry Riley, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony.

After a southern wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Red House.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Horning of 4947 12th Street, N., St. Petersburg, Florida, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Suzanne M. Horning, to Robert L. Furney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Furney, 111 N. Hercules Avenue, Clearwater, Florida.

The wedding date has been set for June 28th.

Mr. Furney is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. LeGrand of Appomattox.

SOCIETY NEWS

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Mrs. E. Marshall Stratton, Jr., left Thursday for Alexandria, to visit friends before flying to Los Angeles on Friday to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry V. Nelson, of Anaheim, Calif. Mrs. Nelson is the former Carol Irving Stratton, of Concord, Va.

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Marine Lance Corporal E. M. Stratton, III is at home on leave. He is in transit from Cherry Point, N.C., to Travis Air Force Base in California. From there he will go to Japan for thirteen months. L/Corp. Stratton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Marshall Stratton of Concord.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lawrence, Nettie Lawrence, Mrs. Ann EvaNS, Mrs. Betty Cole, all from Lynchburg, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson visited Mrs. J. P. Johnson, Sr. over the week end.

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Mrs. Nettie Dresser Martin is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital where she is receiving treatment.

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Rev. Deryl Holiday is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital where he underwent surgery on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Peggy Clark is a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital.

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Mark Scott has returned home from Lynchburg General Hospital where he received treatment for injuries received in an accident.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hudson, Mrs. Eddie Wooldridge and Miss Mabel Hudson spent Saturday in Culpeper where they visited Mrs. Lucille H. Blanks, a resident at the Baptist Home.

David Bryant has returned home from Virginia Baptist Hospital where he received treatment.

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STONEWALL JR. 4-H CLUB

The Stonewall Jr. 4-H Club met Thurs., Feb. 13, 1975 in the home of Richard Stratton. We elected as our officers: Tommy Gilliam, president; Billy Winston, vice-pres.; Mary Davidson, secretary-treasurer; Connie Krantz, reporter; Kely Moore, Judson Davidson, Jimmy Gilliam, and Richard Stratton, recreation leaders.

Robert and Mary Dyess showed us how to do an illustrated talk and a demonstration for 4-H competition.

Mr. Sweet then told us about "farming 200 years ago" poster contest, sponsored by the Appomattox Farm Bureau Women's Committee.

Woman's Club To Meet Mar. 3

The Woman's Club of Appomattox will meet on Monday night, Mar. 3, at the Farmers National Bank, Triangle Plaza Branch, at 7:30 p.m.

A meeting of the Executive Board will precede the regular meeting and will begin at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Thomas Richardson, Chairman of the Home Life Committee, will be in charg eof the program for the evening.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Rachel Lawson, Mrs. Harry Lawson and Mrs. J. D. Ferguson.

New members to be introduced at this meeting include Mrs. Tye Bollinger, Mrs. Hugh Johnson, Mrs. James Lettner, Katherine McDaniel and Shirley McDaniel.

Presents Historical Program

Mrs. Wayne Stinnette of Lynchburg, left, admires collection of historical dolls owned by Mrs. Hazel Harvey of Appomattox, right above. Mrs. Harvey gave exhibition - program on history of Appomattox Wednesday at the Americana Restaurant for members of Home Builders Association of Central Virginia Women's Auxiliary. Mrs. Harvey has many unusual dolls of historical significance including "Silent Witness" doll, displayed in McLean House, which was made at the request of Department of Interior.

At the luncheon meeting on Feb. 19th, Mrs. Harvey used the theme "Visual Reflections", in keeping with the approaching Bi-Centennial year - 1976.

Harry D. Carter

Honored On Retirement

Harry D. Carter was honored on his retirement when TRANSCO held their 24th anniversary celebration on Friday night at the Parkway Restaurant.

Carter, after twenty-three and one-half years with Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line, Station 170, retired January 1, 1975, on disability.

He was presented gifts from Transco Club prior to the program for the evening.

Herman Carter, retired December 31, 1974, TRANSCO Pipe Line Crew, was also recognized at this anniversary dinner. Carter will be given a dinner and honored by his co-workers, the Pipe Line Crew, this week.

The Anniversary dinner, given by Transco Club, was attended by employees, their wives, Station Superintendent V. O. Mims, Rev. and Mrs. Doyle Chauncey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson and family, and retired employees of the company.

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